

Review of: "Boring Language Is Constraining the Impact of Climate Science"

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The role of language in communication in the field of climate sciences is very important, and studies regarding this issue are needed.

I fully agree that "boring language" and poor communication limit society's interest in climate science. The thesis is very good. Unfortunately, in my opinion, it is not confirmed by the analysis.

The authors of the article used only 5 articles from Google Scholar for the analysis. This is definitely too little to draw such conclusions. There are many more studies done by important institutions and researchers where these issues are well described. Some of these include e.g.

Seys, J., Cox, L., Şahin Yücel, E., Ezgeta-Balić, D., Faimali, M., Garaventa, F., García-Martínez, M-C., Gili, C., Kopke, K., Moreau, K., Petrera, F., Simon, D., Villwock, A., Zielinski, T., Muñiz Piniella, A. (2022). Marine Science Communication in Europe – A way forward. Muñiz Piniella, A., Kellett, P., van den Brand, R., Alexander, B., Rodriguez Perez, A., Van Elslander, J., Heymans, J. J. [Eds.] Future Science Brief 8 of the European Marine Board, Ostend, Belgium. 48pp. ISBN: 9789464206166 ISSN: 2593-5232 DOI: 10.5281/zenodo.6444143

or

Lexis of climate phenomena in social sciences students' daily discourse by Waldemar Tlokinski

Oceanologia 2020, 62(4PB), 603-607. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.oceano.2020.03.001>

and

The Semantics of Remorse for the Climate Crisis: Moral Self-Awareness and Its Educational Role

by Waldemar Tlokinski, Henryk Olszewski, and Michał Olech; Sustainability 2023, 15(19), 14145;

<https://doi.org/10.3390/su151914145>

to mention just a few.

The article should include stronger accents and specific examples with numerous quotations. The authors recommend cooperation with artificial intelligence and the cultural sector, but they do not provide examples of what exactly such cooperation would involve and how it could be implemented.

So, yes, a very good theme and a very important issue, but this paper needs much work in order to provide strong evidence for the points raised in the paper.